



1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the  
3 State of Illinois are pleased to recognize organizations in our  
4 State that have made significant contributions to society; and

5 WHEREAS, The Northern Illinois Parrot Head Club was founded  
6 in August of 1999 by Suzie Krenzelok, who served as the first  
7 club president; the organization was incorporated in June of  
8 2002 and has grown dramatically since then; and

9 WHEREAS, The organization has donated nearly \$31,000 to  
10 charitable organizations since its inception in 1999; the group  
11 has increased its donation to the Special Olympics from \$148 in  
12 2001 to \$12,000 in 2005; and

13 WHEREAS, In addition to the cash donations by the Parrot  
14 Head Club, the organization has collected hundreds of pounds of  
15 food stuffs for the Rock River Valley Pantry during food drives  
16 and hundreds of toys for the Salvation Army Toy Drives over the  
17 years; members also donate time to clean up the group's stretch  
18 of East State Street through the Adopt-A-Highway program; and

19 WHEREAS, The club is holding this year's Island Beach Bash  
20 on Saturday, February 25, 2006, and hopes to raise enough money  
21 for an \$18,000 donation to the Special Olympics; therefore, be  
22 it

23 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
24 NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
25 we recognize the Northern Illinois Parrot Head Club for its  
26 outstanding generosity and determination to "give back" to the  
27 community, and we wish the members well as they hold their  
28 Island Beach Bash; and be it further

29 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be

1 presented to the Northern Illinois Parrot Head Club as an  
2 expression of our esteem and with the knowledge that it's  
3 always "five o'clock somewhere".